



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Martin E. FERMANN, et al.

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Group Art Unit: 3663

Confirmation No.: 1753

Examiner: Mark HELLNER

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For: IN-LINE, HIGH ENERGY FIBER CHIRPED PULSE AMPLIFICATION SYSTEM

AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 11, 2005, setting a two month period for response, kindly amend the captioned application as follows.

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